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Subject: SRCSD Comments - Delta Primary Zone Expansion

Dear Mr. Machado:

During the Delta Primary Zone Study Committee meeting held on October 20, 2010, a proposed map was presented showing that the Primary Zone in the Cosumnes / Mokelumne Study Floodplain Area would be extended from Interstate 5 east to include the Cosumnes River Preserve north to Twin Cities Road and south to New Hope Road. On September 16, 2010, staff from Sacramento Regional County Sanitation District (SRCSD) made a presentation to the Primary Zone Study Committee indicating that several parcels included in the proposed Primary Zone expansion area, south of Twin Cities Road, might benefit from the future use of recycled water. Our understanding is that the amended regulations governing the Land Use and Resource Management Plan for the Primary Zone of the Sacramento - San Joaquin Delta effective on 11/6/2010 allow the use of recycled water in the Primary Zone.

As stated in previous correspondence submitted on August 16, 2010, SRCSD does not take exception to the proposed Primary Zone expansion for the Cosumnes / Mokelumne River area, but requests that any proposed recommendations or policies related to the Delta Primary Zone clearly state the Commission's continued support for the use of recycled water.

We would appreciate your consideration of the issue above and welcome any questions or comments. Please feel free to contact me directly at 916-876-6092 or mitchellt@sacsewer.com.

Sincerely,

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